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## Farmington Times

THURSDAY, DEC. 18, 1902.

### COUNTY OFFICERS.

State Senator	J. S. CLAY
Presiding Justice County Court	J. L. BRADLEY
County Judge First District	E. E. SWINK
Judge of Probate	J. S. GOSSEY
Clerk Circuit Court	J. C. WILLIAMS
Clark County Clerk	THOMAS H. STAN
Collector	FRANK H. HARRIS
Treasurer	EDWARD MOORE
Prosecuting Attorney	JEFF D. HIGHLIGHT
Assessor	W. L. HERKEL
County Surveyor	ED. BINGSTROM
Coroner	J. H. H. ENGLISH
School Commissioner	A. H. ARKES

### COURTS.

Circuit Court—J. D. FOX, Judge—Second Mondays in May and June, and the first Monday in October—First Mondays in February, May, August and November.—Private Court—Second Mondays in January, April, July and October.

### CHURCHES.

PREBISTERY—Rev. E. C. HICKOK, Pastor—Preaching Sunday morning and evening; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; W. R. M. HARLES, Superintendent. Pastoral meeting Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—SOUTH—Rev. W. J. HICKOK, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.; W. R. M. HARLES, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. W. R. McCLURE, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning and evening; Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.; Dr. W. E. Elliott, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

BAPTIST—Rev. J. D. WATSON, Pastor—Preaching second and fourth Sundays each month, morning and evening. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. JOHN MASSER.

CATHOLIC—Rev. H. M. TALBERT, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.; H. A. SWINK, Superintendent. Y. P. S. U. every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Midweek prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

ETHODIST—Rev. A. L. ROHDELL, Pastor—Preaching every Sunday morning except the fourth; communion after church.

CATHOLIC—Rev. FATHER TOOMEY, resident priest—Mass every Sunday except first at 10 o'clock; communion same day at 2:30.

Herzog's New Shoe Store, Three doors east of Post Office. 1903 Calendars at Pelt's. Cranberries at Klein Grocer Co.

Martin, your best photographer.

See our candies—McKinney's. See those 1903 Calendars at Pelt's. New sausaus at Klein Grocer Co.

Santa Claus at McKinney's. Good maple syrup at Klein Grocer Co.

Fine mince meat and pickles at A. L. Orten's.

Go to Pelt's for your Bibles and Testaments.

Candy of all kinds at McKinney's.

Mr. J. C. Westover of Flat River was in town last Friday.

Mr. J. L. Morris of Bismarck spent last Friday in this city.

Mr. John Klein of Desloge was in this city last Thursday.

Mr. G. W. Clarkson of Bismarck was in town last Saturday.

**DON'T FAIL  
TO SEE US  
Before Buying Your  
CHRISTMAS GOODS.**

We are full from cellar to garret with goods—useful, artistic; at honest prices—Prices that defy competition.

### JUST STOP TO THINK!

LADIES' JACKETS at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$7.00 and \$10.00.

CHILDREN'S JACKETS, in size 4 to 18 years, for \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.50 and up.

OVERCOATS for men, boys and children—by far the best line we have ever shown.

We can fit any sized people and pocket books—1.25 and up.

BOYS' SUITS—75 cents and up.

MEN'S SUITS—in all the newest styles—\$2.75 and up to \$15.00.

LAP AND LOUNGING ROBES—a splendid assortment—\$1.00, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

RUGS—A splendid assortment; just the thing for a Christmas present—\$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

HATS, CAPS, GLOVES, SHOES, DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, in all the latest fabrics and styles; GROCERIES—and in fact everything kept in a well selected line of General Merchandise.

**Highest Market Price Paid for Produce and Cord Wood.**

**Cole & Nixon.**

Judge E. E. Swink and Clerk J. C. Williams returned Sunday from Pleasanton, where they bought 25 head of very fine mohair.

Pay cash for your meat at Autzen's and get 5 per cent discount.

Mr. George J. Cole and George Worster will return the lot of the week from Grant Pass, Oregon, where Mr. Cole is interested, are situated.

Sauerkraut always kept on sale at Autzen's Meat Market.

A brand new lot of fine queensware at Klein Grocer Co.

Holiday stock of fine box paper at the City Drug Store.

Phone 80, Klein Grocer Co., for gasoline and coal oil.

Mr. N. A. West of DeSoto transacted business here last Friday.

Window glass—all sizes, at the City Drug Store. Can cut any size you want.

Mr. Robert Bressie of Oklahoma visited his sister, Mrs. John R. Murphy, last week.

You don't know how handsome articles of jewelry can be until you see them at Pelt's.

A good comb and brush makes an acceptable present. Come to the City Drug Store and let Grover select you something that is handsome and will last an average life time.

Canvas hams and bacon always on hand at Autzen's City Meat Market.

You can buy Palmer's Noted Perfumes at only one place in Farmington and that is at the City Drug Store. To all lovers of fine perfumes a cordial invitation is extended. Call and see what you can get for 25 or 50¢.

See those late Books and Booklets at Pelt's.

What is thought to be the smallest baby in Missouri was born to Mrs. E. E. Biggs of Flat River on Monday Dec. 8th. It is a girl weighing 16 ounces, and is 14 inches in length. The child is perfect and healthy.

We are closing out our holiday goods at cost and below. Now is the time for you to call.

McCormick Drug Co.

All holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost. Call and see them.

McCormick Drug Co.

Andy Trappe, son of the late Fred Trappe of this city, who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Becket, shot himself last Thursday with a toy pistol.

The pistol was loaded with a blank and the wad penetrated the hand, making an ugly wound. The hand is much inflamed and he is under the care of a physician.

Set Fire to School House.

John Dix, an eighteen-year-old lad of Flat River, made an attempt to get out of attending school by setting fire to the school house on Tuesday morning of last week. He placed some straw and waste under the porch steps and lighted it. The fire was discovered in time to prevent a conflagration and consequently no damage was done.

When arraigned before Justice G. W. Covington, he admitted that he had done the deed, and gave as a reason, "just because." He was bound over to the next regular term of the Circuit Court in the sum of \$800. His father, who is a most respectable resident of Flat River, went bond for the young man.

Santa Claus Headquarters at "The Fair." An immense stock of low prices.

"THE FAIR."

All holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost. Call and see them.

McCormick Drug Co.

See the dress goods, cloaks and skirts at McCormick, Sprott & Co.'s. They are the latest.

NESMITH-LEECH—Mr. Malcolm Nesmith and Miss Lucille Leech of Cape Girardeau were married in that city on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the residence of Dr. J. H. Rider. The bride was one of the most popular young ladies of Cape Girardeau and is well known in this city, having visited relatives and friends here frequently. The groom belongs to one of the oldest and most distinguished families of Cape Girardeau. After the ceremony, at which only the immediate family were present, a reception was tendered the bridal party at Dr. J. H. Rider's. Mr. and Mrs. Nesmith left Thursday morning for Brownhurst, their country place near Cape Girardeau, where they will make their home.

All holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost. Call and see them.

McCormick Drug Co.

A. Handmade Burnt Leather Pocket Oigan, Brush, Hat Brush, Clothes Brush in sterling silver or Ebony, Military Brush Sets, Smoking sets, Shaving Mirrors, Watch Fobs, Watch Charms, Cuff Links, Cuff Buttons, Rings, and Watches.

—ALL THESE AT—

**J. KIRBERG'S.**

Tetley leads in exquisite designs in Tetley leads in exquisite designs in

Born December 10, 1902, to the wife of Noah Myer, a son.

Phone 140, City Meat Market, for your meats and vegetables.

Born December 16, 1902, to the wife of J. D. Human, a daughter.

Remember that Tetley's line of X-mas jewelry is the best in town.

Miss Pearl Polite of Desloge spent Monday with Miss Jennie Simmons.

Very suitable and substantial Christmas presents can be found at Tetley's.

Mr. J. A. Perry and son, Armour Perry, of Flat River were in town last Friday.

Plain and softening buck-wheat flour and pancakes flour at Klein Grocer Co.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church cleared \$830 at the bazaar which they held last week.

Highest market price paid for corn, oats and all kinds of produce at McCormick, Sprott & Co's.

Ed. C. Carroll, who has been connected with the Poplar Bluff Citizen, has returned home for the winter.

A sure enough Santa Claus will be at "The Fair" Christmas week to hand out presents to the little ones. Watch for him.

Mrs. T. S. White, who has been visiting Mrs. Lucinda J. White for several days, referred to her house in Potosi Tuesday.

All holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost. Call and see them.

McCormick Drug Co.

The Good Templars will give an open session in their hall next Monday night. An excellent programme will be rendered.

Rev. C. E. Hickok was called to Columbus last Sunday on account of the serious illness of his little son Jim, who with his mother is visiting relatives there.

Mrs. George Topping and Miss India Topping of Old Point Comfort, Va., arrived Monday night to visit Dr. H. F. Ward, for several weeks.

Make your wife happy by giving her a Singer Sewing Machine; 10 cents per day will pay for it at "The Fair."

Mrs. George Morris and two little children returned Tuesday from Des Arc where she was called by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Ray Stamps, who is much better.

Our Ladies' Dress Skins are the proper thing. Don't miss seeing them. Style is right and prices right.

COLE & NIXON.

The Jones Seals are the best. McCormick, Sprott & Co. sell them.

We will pay the Very Highest Market Price Paid for Produce and Cord Wood.

**Cole & Nixon.**

### ROBBERY AT TAYLORTOWN.

The Burglars Make Their Escape From Blood Hounds.

On last Friday night the store of Mr. Guy Hatfield at Taylortown was entered by burglars, and about \$100 to \$125 worth of goods stolen. The Hatfield store is situated in the Masonic building and next door, in the same building, is the undertaking establishment of Mr. Domaghue.

Sometime in the night Domaghue heard the burglars in adjoining store and went at once to Hatfield. When the two got back, one of them stood at the door, and the other at the window. They could no see the burglars on the inside, but it is presumed that the burglars saw them, for very soon the burglars opened fire. Hatfield and Domaghue promptly fled, which was according to the best rules of etiquette and highly proper under the circumstances. In the meantime the burglars got away with some jewelry and cutlery amounting to about \$100. Blood hounds were procured the next morning from W. C. Norwine and set on the trail. The hounds lost the scent at the river and the hunt was given up. It is generally believed that the burglars live in Flat River and are still there. No certain ones are under suspicion, but it is thought that the culprits will be caught.

Christmas presents in the jewelry line are most appreciated. Get them at Robt. Tetley's.

All holiday goods will be sold regardless of cost. Call and see them.

McCORMICK DRUG CO.

Mr. Frank Bush of St. Louis, who has been putting in the granite at the Asylum, quit work there last week and left Monday for St. Louis. It is impossible to put in granite during freezing weather, and that work at the asylum will not be resumed until spring. The other work on the buildings is progressing rapidly, and the first of the year will doubtless see the asylum in running order.

Go to the City Meat Market for your choice steaks, roasts and pork chops.

Ingredients for fruit cakes and mince meat at A. L. Orten's.

For feed of all kinds, see McCormick, Sprott & Co.

You want to buy something for your mother, father, sister, brother or sweetheart, and you will find at

McCormick Drug Co.

See Santa Claus at McKinney's Annex.

Shot With Toy Pistol.

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Go to Pelt's for your X-mas or New Year Cards.

Stock of candies, nuts, raisins, figs and dried fruits at McCormick, Sprott & Co's.

Watches, rings, bracelets, silverware and diamonds for X-mas at